Title: Senior Director, Nonclinical Development

Cellics Therapeutics is a pioneering and nimble biotech company using its innovative Cellular Nanoparticle (CNP) platform technology to develop nano-therapeutics and drive breakthrough drug delivery for mRNA, siRNA, proteins and small molecules. Aside from the chance to work with a great team toward a common goal, Cellics offers a highly motivational and rewarding work environment with top benefits and a competitive salary. Our team is small and mighty. Each employee is empowered to shape our culture and our future success!

JOB SUMMARY

Cellics Therapeutics is seeking a Senior Director, Nonclinical Development, reporting to the President and CEO, to provide overall nonclinical support for our projects including strategy, design, execution, supervision, analysis, interpretation and communication of nonclinical studies.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Design and oversee nonclinical studies for nano-therapeutics programs in inflammatory, autoimmune and infectious diseases.
- Manage the design, logistics, budget, and timeline of nonclinical studies.
- Oversee and coordinate external activities and collaboration with government and foundation partners, CROs, research institutions, biopharmaceutical companies and consultants to drive programs forward efficiently.
- Identify and provide research support for new indications for the CNP technology.
- Serve as a subject matter expert in pharmacology, toxicology and PK/PD studies.
- Collaborate with internal functional teams to achieve program goals and targets.
- Create and manage the development timeline of nonclinical programs.
- Manage grant projects, communicate with grant agencies, and draft corresponding reports.
- Proactively look for solutions to problems, deviations, and risks that could lead to project delays or cost changes.
- Proactively seek external scientific input to inform program strategy and study conduct.
- Draft and review relevant sections for regulatory submissions.
- Other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- PhD in a related scientific discipline and 10 years of relevant industry experience in nonclinical discovery and development of biologics.
- Working knowledge of GLP regulations, ICH, and other regulatory guidance documents.
- Experience designing, conducting, monitoring, and interpreting nonclinical studies, including GLP-compliant studies.

- Demonstrated ability to successfully work in and lead cross-functional project teams with an emphasis on teamwork, collaboration, and communication.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills with ability to relate to both internal and external stakeholders (e.g., scientific advisors/consultants, CROs, CDMOs, regulatory agencies).
- Experience overseeing IND submissions.
- Strong understanding of regulatory guidelines and requirements for biologic therapeutics, required. Experience with cell therapy is preferred.
- Ability to manage multiple projects, prioritize objectives, and manage resources to achieve established deadlines.

Pay range $210,000-$250,000/year